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ciety has encouraging prospects for the State. the success of its efforts to provide a temporary hospital. The ladies have per cent. tax?" in the Melrose addition. One is situ- effect it's repeal." ciently removed from the stir and noise of the business part of the city.

The ladies have decided that they will raise \$5,000 and erect a ten-room wooden building for temporary use. The city is to be divided into districts and ladies appointed to make a thorough canvass of the whole city.

Those interested in the movement the real estate men should take active steps for its repeal."

Mr. W. A. Byrd, of the firm of Moomaw. Byrd & Co., said: "Real estate men can benefit one another by meether and this unjust tay."

The ladies wish it to be understood that they are not antagonizing the institution is established, if they succeed in their efforts, they will be ready to turn over whatever they may have if it is deemed best for the suffering

who came to America years go It of the fifty sears ago there is a probability hat you are here to a fortune.

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Mrs. J. T. Hall, secretary.

The mass meeting, which was disdies who are interested in aiding this pressing need of the community are invited to become members of the society and help in the good work. The meetings will hereafter be held regularly at the Y. M. C. A hall every Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church last night resistant a little. The Winstons failed to score. Roanoke, 2; Winston, 0. In the seventh Wigmore got his base on balls, and reached second on a passed ball. Sands struck out. Ford out at first. Rosenthal knocked out and meens to look after. ussed at the previous meeting, will be

"HEV! A KEB."

The Cry that Roanoke is About to Hear in Her Streets.

Roanoke will soon have a cab serrice. A company has been formed with a capital of \$5,000 with privi-leges to increase to \$25,000. The system will be in operation as soon the cabs can be procured and other necessary arrangements made, pro-bably about the 1st of October, Mr Emory Barry, of Baltimore, is the instigator of the movement. He is now in the city perfecting arrange

Four cabs will be put on at first, and they will be run at popular prices, upon the system in operation in all large cities. The headquarters will be at the Exchange buildings. The directors of the company are S. A. Weltzer, J. Younge, Emory Barry, R. B. Taylor and W. H.Oliver. The officers are, S. A. Wetzler, pressure of the control of the company are such as a control of the control of

ident; Emory Barry, vice president; R. B. Taylor, secretary, and H. M. Dickinson, treasurer.
In conversation with a TIMES man last night Mr. Barry said that the company will patronize Roanoke in-dustries as far as possible, in supply-ing their material. They are already negotiating for the manufacture of the harness by Roanoke harness

THE DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE Meets at O. D. Derr's Office and Reor-

ganizes for Work. A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee was held last night at the office of Oscar D. Derr & Co. R. A. Buckner, O. D. Derr, S.

are tried and experienced workers, Annie Roony." and matters will now move forward with a rush. A political canvass will be made with the object of finding

the Eastern Collecting Agency.

Tuesday Martin appeared in Roanoke again, and made several victims for his arrest was issued by Judge Howerton, and he was arrested the State of the match game of billiards which was played in the elegant billiard.

Va. It is therefore to your interest of interested spectators. to examine their instruments before purchasing. They never lose a customer when quality of goods and prices count for anything.

FOR THE CONVENTION. WORKING HARD, And Against the Tax OB Real Estate

Considerable interest has been THE LADIES HAVE SELECTED aroused among Roanoke real estate THE MAGIC CITY NINE TOO men in the proposed convention of the "dealers in dirt" to be held in October. A TIMES reporter saw a number more of the real astate deal- SCORE ONE GOOD GAME FOR US ers yesterday. Mr. W. F. Baker, of the firm of Baker & Marckley, said: Roanoke. 4; Winston, 0 .- But the Win Ten-Room Wooden Building to be "Such a meeting, if properly conduct-Erected-To be Called the Home for ed, could not result otherwise than in much good to the men engaged in the business, and would doubtless do The Ladies' Union Benevolent So- much to help develop the resources of

"What about the one-fourth of one

found two lots which they can secure | "It is simply iniquitous, and it is at a reasonable price as soon as the important for the real estate men to necessary funds are raised. Both are meet together and take some steps to an unbroken chain of fifteen victories

ated in the block between Eleventh J. H. Featherston said: "There are of being first clubto defeat them. and Twelfth streets, near where the a number of things the real estate dummy line to Salem turns into Or- men should look into, and about vided, Roanoke getting nine and ange avenue. The other is in Hyde which they should come to some defi- Winston eight, but those of the visit Park. Both are covered with natural nite understanding for concert of ac- ing club always came at inopportune groves, and are sufficiently large for the needs of the institution. Either of the lots is admirably situated for the purposes desired, being near in convention. This unjust tax of ‡ enough to be convenient, and suffleciently removed from the stir and noise of the business part of the city.

of 1 per cent. on our transactions is will doubtless show the home nine one thing I refer to. It is the most that they are able to take care of

Those interested in the movement in the novement of the have already seen a number of the prominent business men of the city, makes the movement an important went to second on a wild pitch which

just tax upon the business."

Rev. H. M. Linsey said: "It would be an advantage to the business for ston, 0.

thrown out at the plate by Ford: Bernett out at first. Roanoke, 1; Winstein Winstein Roanoke, 1; Winstein Roa movement for a permanent and sub-stantial hospital, but when such an in convention. I consider the move-were not marked by any run-getting.

The Presbyterians Declare the Neces

sity for Another Organization. church in Roanoke. After some discussion of plans, etc., the meeting decided to appoint a committee on ways and meens to look after securing a suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and to make arrangements for raising the necessary with the suitable location and the suita

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PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 3 .- A quiet

It is alleged that Senator Gorman, of Maryland. came to Portland and spent Sunday conferring with the Democratic leaders, and that he brought an immense amount of cash

with him to be used on "doubtful" The Republicans in the First dis-trict expect to return Mr. Reed by a handsome majority. Chairman Man-ley of the State committee, told a correspondent today that he looked for a majority for Governor Burleigh of at least 10,000, and hoped to make it 12,000. Reed will, however, run behind his ticket. The Democrats are receiving heavy financial assistance from outside and are betting even money that they will down him.

Cremation at the Montgomery White. MONTGOMERY WHITE, Sept. 3.— The majority of the guests were sur-R. A. Buckner, O. D. Derr, S. W. Terrill, Frank Collman and M. C. Thomas were present. The resignation of J. A. McConnell was read and accepted, and Hugh Wiley selected to fill the vacancy.

M. C. Thomas was re-elected chirman, and Oscar D. Derr, secretary.
W. S. Gooch, J. B. Levy, Thomas W. Miller, R. J. Eckloff and Louis W. Miller, R. J. Eckloff and Louis W. Terrill were appointed on the finance committee. Work in the campaign will be began at once.

The majority of the guests were surprised last night on leaving the ball room to meet about a dozen of the guests were surprised last night on leaving the ball room to meet about a dozen of the guests were surprised last night on leaving the ball room to meet about a dozen of the guests in long, black robes and wearing masks. In the lead was Mrs. Jorden with the torch, followed by Captain White and Mrs. Vandiver, bearing masks. In the lead was Mrs. Jorden with the torch, followed by Captain white and Mrs. Vandiver, bearing McCahan, Maud and Hattie Weider. Miss Vandiver, Miss Sexton, Miss will be began at once.

The committee adjourned to meet Miss Vandiver, Miss Sexton, Miss Mand Sullivan, Judge Page and subject to the call of the president.

All the members of the committee and Mr. Thomas, singing "Little National League.—First game— Philadelphia, 6; New York, 9. Second

Good Bids for City Bonds. FREDERICKSBURG, Va., Sept. 3.

The bridge construction committee opened the bids yesterday for the 6 per cent. bridge bonds, \$25,000 of which have been issued, bearing 6 per A Petty Swindler.

In February, 1889, John M. Martin came to Koanoke, representing himself to be from New York, and a soliciting agent for the Eastern Collecting Agency. He succeeded in getting 325 accepted the hids of Mrs. L. Caronial Indiana, 10; Pittsburg, 11; Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 4.

American Association.—Athletic, 4; Columbus, 5; Rochester, 7; Baltimore, 2; Toledo, 4. citing agent for the Eastern Collecting for all of them, but the Somitates Agency. He succeeded in getting \$25 oct of Messrs. Miller & Smith, who learned not long afterward that there was no such a firm or corporation as the Eastern Collecting Agency.

Judge Howerton, and he was arrested at Salem by Constable Frank Braw-ford. Martin is now peeping through the bars, having been brought to Roanoke yesterday afternoon. He recently stock Johnson & Phleger, of Christianburg, for a small amount, and has made victims in a number of towns in the State. His case will be heard by Judge Howerton on the 12th.

No house in the country has a higher reputation for fine planos and organs and reasonable prices than the Hobbie Music Company, Lynchburg, Va. It is therefore to your interest

THE TIMES office has been removed to the new building corner Third avenue and First street, southwest,

WINS. ROANOKE

MUCH FOR WINSTON.

ner of Fifteen Straight May Turn the Tables To-Day-Graphic Story of the Prolonged Contest-The Score.

The Winston Baseball Club, cham

pions of North and South Carolina arrived in the city yesterday morning over the Norfolk and Western railroad, and tried their luck with the Roanoke giants. They came out with and the Roanoke's have the houo The hits were almost evenly di-

themselves before the week is out. The first inning was productive of no

runs for either side, but in the second Roanoke scored one. Kirby fouled out Irvin Brodie got to first on a famble by Wade; Alex. Brodie struck out who have given assurance of their substantial support, and many have volunteered to aid the enterprise. Mr. J. H. Sands, of the Norfolk and Western railroad, has pledged his support the much good. It is important that first on a scratch hit, stole second, some strick of the much good. It is important that first on a scratch hit, stole second. for the establishment of the institu-for the establishment of the institu-just tax upon the business." went third on C. Jones' hit but was thrown out at the plate by Ford; Ber-

if it is deemed best for the suffering men and women in their care. They will not call their institution a hospital, but a home for the sick. The ladies of the society are in earnest in this movement and are now confident that their plans will succeed.

A largely attended meeting was held at the Y. M. C. A Hall Tuesday men would do much good if properly afternoon, and increased interest was managed. As to the tax matter, I afternoon, and increased interest was managed. As to the tax matter, I think that will settle itself, for agents manifested. At the meeting the following the society are in earnest in the society and more than one crank went home hoarse. Ned Dolan and a lost ball were the causes. Two men were out, and it was Dolan's turn at the bat. He got a stick to suit his fancy, and fanned the air twice with managed. As to the tax matter, I groaned and turned away, but the meaning the following the fielder wanted it, and he caught it on the end of his bat, sending the little sphere over the right field fence for a home run. Great Scott! How the crowd yelled! The roof must of ne cessity been raised. The next man struck out, and this cooled the enthu-

louble play. The Little Boys Blue The Democrats Preparing to Give Blue got men on the bases, but no one crossed the rubber. Another run was added to Roanoke's total in the ninth. Widgin ducted by the Democrats, who hope to be able to retire Speaker Reed, as the first district is and has always been a close one, but Republican speakers of national reputation are being brought into the district.

It is alleged that Senator Gorman

Sands, r. f. Ford, l. f. Rosenthal, 1b. Totals. . . . . . WINSTON.

Keelev, c.lf. Gray, c.f. . 0 9 27 14

SCORE BY INNINGS. SUMMARY.

Earned runs, Roanoke, 2. Two-base hits, Ford, Lanier, Home run, Dolan, Stolen bases, Ford, Rosenthal, Dolan, Wade, Double plays, A. Brodie to Wigmore to Rosenthal, McCanno Keeley to J. Jones, C. Jones to Bennett to J. Jones, Bases on Balls, by McGann, 3. Struck out, by Brodie, 5; by McGann, 15. Passed balls, Keeley, 3. Wild pitches, McGann, I. Muffed and J. Muffed fly, Bennett, Wild hrow, J. Jones. Time of game, 1:35. Umpires, Welch and Ormsby.

Baseball Yesterday

game—Philadelphia, 9; New York, 5; Brooklyn, 13; Boston, 4. Players' League.—New York, 11; Buffalo, 7; Boston, 12; Cleveland, 6; Philadelphia, 10; Pittsburg, 11; Chi-

Racing Yesterday. SHEEPSHEAD BAY. First race, seven-eights of a mile-

A dwelling in the southwestern section of the city. Will pay big rent six months in advance. Possession wanted in twenty days. Apply to septi-it E. Dirien.

A BUFFALO SENSATION. Prominent Chizen Charged With an Ugly "ffence.

BUFFALO, N. Y. Sept. 3.-A sensa tion was created in society and business circles today by the announcenent that papers had been filed in a suit for \$10,000 damages by John F. McLaughton against Edward Burk hardt for criminal intimacy with and alienating the affections of plaintiff's wife. Plaintiff was until recently a postoffice clerk, and the Buffalo

nanager of the Eimira Telegram,

and defendant is a member of a real

e-tate firm, and is quite wealthy. the complainant charges that the defendant, by force, violated plaintiff's wife in October, 1889, and by dint of threats and promises succeeded in continuing the intimacy for a period of two years. Mrs. McLaughton has confessed, and has made affidadit to effect as stated above. What adds to the sensation is the fact that cards are out for the marriage of Burkhardt and Miss Laura Schmidt, daughter of Lorenz Schmidt, a well-known and

wealthy citizen.  $\Lambda$  fresh element of sensation was inected into the matter this afternoon by an announcement that Buckhardt and Miss Schmidt were married this morning at the German Catholic Church, and immediately left the city on their wedding trip. Report says he marriage was hurried in order to woid the impending publication of the scandal, and that the date orig inally fixed for the wedding was next Saturday.

VERMONT REPUBLICANS. Most Surprising Disappearance of Their Usual Majority.

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 3.-The reatest excitement prevails throughut the State over the unexpected result of the election today. It was un off year, and the Republicans made but little effort to bring out heir vote, and the result shows to ight that they fell into a trap, and he State seems on the verge of going Democratic. At any rate, if Page, R publican, pulls through, it will be by the smallest m joricy his party ever received in Vermont.

Reports received from over 150 towns up to midnight show a Repub-lican net loss of fifty-three per cent The ticket has evidently been unmer fully cut. Some of the returns are startling. In Windham county, a Re-publican stronghold, sixteen towngive Page a majority of 868; falling off, 1,394. Catalonia county shows a falling off of 600 in Republican majorities.

A dispatch from Ludlow reports Democratic gains on all sides. It gives Brigham, Democrat, the first Demo Brigham, Democrat, the live property of the particular train, as it is that white River Junction reports that white River Junction reports that known that other trains carry most of the express money. No. 6, the carrying very little a twenty cities and towns, including Burlington, give Page 3,371 and Brig-ham, 2,041; same two years ago giving Republicans 5,686 and Democrats

rangements for raising the necessary funds for its erection.

Colonel Thomas Lewis, Messrs. W. L. McClannahan and J. H. Earman were appointed on the committee with instructions to report to an adjourned meeting of the congregation. The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the committee.

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men were easy victims. Roanoke, 3; Roanoke, 3; Winston, 0.

Keeley having hurt his hand severebland severeblan bitionist, 7,823; scattering, 13. The returns now show Republican net loss, as compared with the vote in 1888, of 7,764; Democratic gain, 100.

All other gain 11.

If the vote of the remaining towns presponds with that of those heard rom, the Republican majority will be he smallest since the institution of he bienrial elections.

OIL WELLS OVER THE LINE.

Oil Belt. couraging reports are \*received from Burning Springs and vicinity in Wirt county. The big Roberts gasser, with which it is intended to supply this city, is still flowing at the rate of 4.000,000 cubic feet every 24 hours. The South Penn No. 3, at Belmont

is reported starting out at 500 barrels per day.
The Cochran well No. 16, Barnsdale
Company's
the Cochran well No. 16, Barnsdale
Cochran well No and is close to the deep sand. The Brown Oil Company, on the Jones tract, is drilling three wells, two of which will be in next week. Stewart well, about one mile above b 'mont, has the sand, but has not yet been drilled in. All of the old wells are keeping up to the standard. The drilling on the opposite side of

the river still continues.

Many new wells are going down, and some of them have the sand, but are small producers. The Mill well, at Newport, is not yet in but is expected every day. On Calf creek, Horseneck, and other points in various directions from the old field a number of new wells will be begun within the next few days. None of those going down in those localities have struck the sand. In Writ county there are a number of wildcats in progress. It is reported that a com-pany will sink a number of test wells on the Thomas Beckwith farm, below Subeck, on the ground of the old gas springs. There is a report that three test well will be started shortly within three miles of this city.

New Jersey Glass Works Starting. MILLVILLE, N. J., Sept. 3.—Nearly all the window-glass furnaces through 

NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 3.—Since the first of the year recorded sales of real estate in Norfolk and vicinity have

TRAIN ROBBERS.

THE CANNON-BALL EXPRESS HELD UP.

IS IT THE WORK OF LUBE BURBOWS?

James Style-Stopped on a Bridge Not Over \$200 Captured by the Rob-

MOBILE, Ala., Sept. 3 .- The Louisville and Nashville cannon-ball train, which left here at 8 o'clock Monday night, was held up at the Big Escamba bridge, half a mile north of Pensacola Junction, by robbers, who entered the express car and compelled the messenger to give up the contents of the safe. It is not known what the extent of the loss is. Having secured the valuables the robbers jumped off and took to the woods. The first news of the robbery received in Mo-bile by the railway officials was but meagre. The train was held up about half a mile above Flamaton Junction, and the people there know very little of what occurred, for the train was delayed seven minutes only, and there was not much chance to learn what

occurred.
Engineer Bob Sizer says that he was pulling out of Flamaton, and just as the train, which is a through express from New Orleans, got under way, he turned around and saw a man standing near him. Before he could ask a question or look twice two big revolvers were in his face. He was told to run his train up to the Escambia river bridge, some miles distant, and stop on the bridge. There was nothing left for him to do but to obey, and he did so. The train stopped on the brace. The engineer was told to get of his engine, and he did so. Then the robbers directed Sizer to go to the express car and force an entrance, the robber putting a heavy mallet in his hand. Sizer did as directed and burst open the car door. Express Messenger Archie Johnson was standing in his car pistol in hand, but seeing Sizer he lowered his weapon. The next minute he was covered and told to lay down his gun, and he obeyed. Then the robber, standing in the car door, compelled the messenger to open the safe and

hand him the money.

White the operation was going on the fellow was standing in the do r cooly looking at his victim, and firing first to one side of the train and then to the other to overawe the passengers and the train crew When he got the money he told Sizer to follow him. The man showed the way to the .n gine, bade Sizer pull, and with a part-ing shot and a wild yell dashed off into the bushes and was lost to sight.

A posse has left Flamaton and another has left Mobile in pursuit of the robbers. Some surprise is expressed here that the robbers selected this particular train, as it is well

robbed train, carrying very little at any time and but a small amount on this occasion.
It is said Rube Burrows was re-

car, which was robbed on the Louis-ville and Nashville this morning was

taken, and that the loss is not over \$200.

The Funeral Directors. STAUNTON, Va., Sept. 3 .- The convention of the Virginia Funeral Directors' Association was continued today. Tributes of respect were adopted to the memory of deceased members and that of the late Thomas Latest News from the West Virginia Lytton, editor of the "Casket." The third Wednesday in September will PARKERSBURG, Sept. 3 .- The well at hereafter be the date of the annual Ritchie mines, in Ritchie county, is 12 meeting. The next annual meeting feet in the sand and showing up a tre- will be held at Hampton. Joseph W. mendous gasser. The well is 1,500 feet Laube, of Richmond, was elected deep. At a later date the well is reported flowing both gas and oil. En-Morriss, of Petersburg, Oliver, of Norfolk, Diaguid, of Lynchburg, Hamrick, of Staunton and Kertz of Winchester, vice presidents; L. T. Christian, of Richmond, continued as secretary; and James Perley, of Charlottesville, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of Woolwine. of Roanoke; Smith, of Norfolk and Fravill, of Woodstock. Delegates to

the international convention which meets at Omaha, J. W. Laube, L. T. Christian and C. W. Woolwine.

Senator Call's Strong Resolution. WASHINGTON. Sept. 3 -In the Senate this morning Mr. Call offered a resolution, which was referred to the committee on foreign relations, declaring that the murder of General Barrundia, on the steamer Apaculco by the authorities of Guatemala while under the protection of the flag of the United States, was an insult to the people of the United States, and demanded prompt action by this government for redress of injury and for security against a recurrence of such

Burned to Death. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3 .- Three un fortunates, a mother, her daughter and an adopted daughter, were suffocated and burned early this morning by a fire at their home, Nos. 1502 and and 1504 Germantown avenue. 1578. Sarah McIntyre, age 59; Manuie McIntyre, aged 10, and Agnes Rodgers, the adopted daughter, aged 17 years, are the names of the victims.

Rennedy's Sensational Attack. WASHINGTON, Sept. 3 -In the House the Clayton-Beckenridge contested election case occupied the day. Kennedy, of Ohio, Republican, created a sensation by making a scorching attack on the Republican Senators for shelving the election bill, and bitterly excoriated Senator Quay for not making answer to the charges

aggregated over \$4.000,000 and norecorded probably \$2.000,000, and along
with this activity in real estate is the
permanent and substantial development going on around this port, and
which will one day create a wonderful prosperity in this section of Tidewater Virginia.

Sam Jones at Lynchurg.

Rev. cam P. Jones, the famous
Georgia evangelist, will begin a two
weeks meeting at Lynchburg the 1th
instant. The meeting will be held in
for the occasion, with a seating capacity of 5,000. Sam Jones at Lynchings.

## CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS,